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e Miver isements. True Bill Found-Davy Jones, Fore-

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School Commissioner.

& Ketchin. Tax Notice-I. N. Withers, Auditor Fairfield County.

Loca! Briefs. -Fairfield will send a strong contingent to swell the forces of the penitemiary after Court adjourns.

-Some of the trial justices have failed to make returns in several cases which will be on trial at this term. -The south-bound train . as dmost

two hours and a half late on Sund. v -The best Family Sewing Machine on the market. A guarantee with

every machine. For sale only by J. O.

this week. below cost for the cash. I mean what will be sorry to learn of his illness in

musicians, and when relieved from their around the hospitable fireside Hotel, genial host of the Winnsh and the fiddles are brait in and the time is passed of some of the good old spiring strains, such as "Arkansas fast". fash aveler," "Leather Breeches," and others. Occasionally the music gets into the feet of some of the listeners, and a circle is cleared and some member cuts a few fancy steps for the entertainment of the crowd.

NEW ADVERTISEMENT. - Messrs. J. L. Minnaugh & Co. tell the people this week through another column what they have in stock, and what they expect to have in a few weeks. Don't forget to read it and see what mam moth bargains they are offering in their line, and if you are not convinced that they mean business, why give them a call and be convinced that they mean what they say.

notice in a report of the recent examinations of the South Carolina College, which are said to have been very rigid and thorough, that the names of our the State vs Preston Dickson, Joseph young friends, Messrs. McMahan and Sawyer and Nick Lawson, charged other work as could be done without Withers, are placed among the distinguished students of the College. The county looks to them to keep up their named defendants, Messers. Douglass past record.

DEATH OF MR. L. POTEET. - Mr. LaFavette Poteet died on Saturday last, aged about sixty-one years. He was well known in the community, having served for many years as one of the town police. His health had been failing for some time. The burial services were held in the Presbyterian | Lawson not guilty. churchyard on Sunday, conducted by the Rev J. S. Connor, and the remains were there interred. The deceased was a widower, and had no children.

THE RIDGEWAY HIGH SCHOOL .- Of the pupils of the Ridgeway High School, the following received the highest average in marks, for the month ending 12 February, 1886-the an assault with intent to kill. Messrs. maximum being 100:

Annie Bailey 98

MASQUERADE AND DANCE AT THE sented the defendants. RINK.—Thursday night quite a crowd of gaily attired ma-kers assembled at hour for dispersing was noted.

A VENERABLE VISITOR. -The Columbia Register of the 18th inst. has the following to say of one of Fairfield's oldest citizens:

Dr. John Wallace, of Wallaceville, one of the most prominent representastopped in the city last night. Dr. llace at one time represented this

siting the graveyard of the Washweek where most of

freight going south did not arrive on checked by his Honor. time and the material train was heard to go north at about 3 o'clock on Tues- the case of the State vs. J. G. Heron, day morning. Upon investigation we in which the indictment contained two learn that the delay was caused by the charges, habitual drunkenness and breaking of a journal on one of the official misconduct, Messrs, Gaillard track and was followed by three or J. K. Alston, Esq., represented the sequent insertion. These rates apply to advertisements of every character, and are four others. The cars and track were defended it. It was dark when the badly damaged and it was necessary to evidence had all been brought out and and effectually done, and the south- until criday morning, when his Honor bound pa-senger train passed Rock charged them upon the law and they Hill, the scene of the accident on time. retired to find their verdict. The jury,

> SALE OF FINE CATTLE.-The fine herd of Guernseys which were exattention from stockmen have been for the defense. After concluding the county. Mr. Mobley is one of our the State had failed to prove its case as near as possible to the actual cash given considerable attention to the Guilty". raising of fine stock, and expects to give it even more attention in the future. the State vs Tillman Sims and Seilla the discharge of our duties. The fine herd of Jerseys belonging to Coleman, charged with ourglary. Mr. W. H. Flenniken have been sold Messrs. Ragsdale & Ragsdale for the by him to Dr. Motte, of Statesville, defense. Verdict "Guilty, with re-N. C. Mr. Flenniken contemplates a commendation to the mercy of the change in his business and for that Court". reason found that it would be impossible for him to give that attention to that of the State es. Jacob King, his stock farm which it should have charged with house-breaking. Messrs. and disposed of his herd.

Douglass & McDonald volunteered to represent the defendant as he had em-PERTONAL .- Miss Jennie Lee Mc-Master, of Columbia, is visiting friends | ployed no counsel. Verdict - "Guitty, with recommendation to mercy". and relatives in town.

Messrs. L. P. and J. P. Kennedy, who for the past six months have been vs. Mary Davis and Martha Davis, -Messrs. D. L. Henderson, of the pursuing their medical studies in New charged with house-breaking and lar-Aiken Bar, and L. G. Graham, of the York city, are spending a few days ceny. Messrs. Ragsdale & Ragsdale Lexington Bar, have been in attend- with their sister Mrs. J. A. Brice, on and H. N. Obear, Esq, for the deance upon the sessions of the Court | their way to their home in Abbeville | fense. Verdict-"Guilty, with recom-

county. Calicoes, Jerseys, Ladies' Felt and Todd, who was for many years pastor of Sessions on Friday evening was the time in this section. J. O. Boag.* Due West. His health has been so I thad not been conclude when the hour had some repairing done on his prem--Now is time to get a good Cincin- bad lately that he was compelled to tor adjournment and been reached, ises. nati Open or Top Baggy, Three-Spring give up some of his classes in Erskine and consecutivy could not be reportnati Open or Top Baggy, Three-Spring give up some of his classes in Erskine and conserving the Baggy, Three-Spring give up some of his classes in Erskine ed in saturday's issue. Messrs Dong-panorama at the school-house in this classes are the school-house in this parameter and the school-house in the school-house in this parameter and the school-house in the schoo

duties in the Court House they assemble duties at that place to accept a propo- find their verdict, and remained out idence of the bride's brother, Mr. to devote his whole attention to transhe has been called.

THE COURT OF SESSIONS.

Tuesday morning the first business taken up was the hearing of the report read by the Clerk of the Court, of the the State vs. Ben Oglesby, charged special committee of 1885, appointed with adultery. Messrs. Douglass & to examine the books, fixtures and McDonald and H. N. Obear, Esq., office of the County Commissioners, The report revealed the fact that the ing the testimony of the prosecuting bu-iness of the county had been faithfully transacted and the committee found no grounds for complaint.

The first case taken up was the State es. Jordan Stevenson, charged with larceny of grain from the field. The prisoner was represented by Messrs. FAIRFIELD'S REPRESENTATIVES. We Donglass & McDonald. The jury Dubose and Ruff Donglass will be found him guilty of the crime charged

> The next case called for trial was with larceny of live stock. Messrs. Ragsdale & Ragsdale for the two first-& McDonald for Nick Lawson. This was a right interesting case as it was a the grand jury: riangular one, in which the two firstnamed defendants attempted to unload the crime upon the other defendant, while in return he attempted to show the guilt of the other two parties. The jury found Preston Dickson and Joseph Sawyer guilty, and Nick

The first case taken up on Wednesday was that of the State vs. Sam Sawyer, charged with selling crop under lien. Messrs. Ragsdale & Ragsdale appeared for defendant. Verdict appertaining to the same, has been of ning. During the reading of the Val- with two dogs belonging to the labora-

The next case called was the State es. John L. Cameron, charged with Douglass & McDonald appeared for

Delphine Desportes...... 98 the defense. Verdict-"Not Guilty." In the case of the State vs. David them all in a satisfactory condition. Laura Ruff 98 Hill and Ella Thompson, which was Donald and J. K. Alston, E-q., repre-

On Thursday the court-room was packed, it being the day set for the the Rink to indulge in the ever popu- trial of Ben DuBose and Ruff Douglar amusement of skating. There lass, charged with arson; and also for were several excellent costumes and the trials of Messrs. J. L. Richmond the antics of the masker caused and J. G. Heron, charged with habitual Trial Justices Juo. J. Neil, Thos. M. Catheart, W. B. Douglass, J. M. Higgins and Chas. E. Thomas have submany hearty laughs from the crowd of drunkenness while in office. Messrs. spectators who had assembled to wit- Ragsdale & Ragsdale and Douglass & ness the fun. After ten o'clock the McDonald represented the prisoners skating ceased and the floor was soon Ben DuBose and Ruff Douglass. A cleared for a dance. Many couples of motion was made for a continuance on waltzers soon replaced the skaters. account of the absence of material into the hands of the County Treas-The dancing was kept up until a late witnesses for the defense, who are now urer. None other of the Trial Justices hour. Every one seemed to enjoy them- residing in York county. His Honor selves, and it was with regret that the granted a continuance until Monday, when the case will again come up for condition, except in certain places

The next case called was that of the State vs. James L. Richmond, charged as above mentioned. Messrs. Douglass & McDonald for the defense This case, together with the following one. wes of the old regime of this county, attracted much attention, as the defenme over from Lexington vesterday dants were presented by the grand jury reported to be in very bad condition. at the last term of the Court, and The portion of the same road, extending nty in the Legislature, and was a being officers of the county it was perminent figure in aute bellum poli- fectly natural that it should. After He spent a portion of vesterday hearing the testimony and arguments these soveral complaints to the prompt mily and the friends of his youth impartial way, charged the jury, im-

from counsel his Honor, in a clear, attention of the County Commissionmily and the friends of his youth impartial way, charged the jury, r three of the citizens of Colum- sympathetic feeling should have any constructing a tramway on the road publishing at an early day. The work cheat yourself in that way. Your ho were his contemporaries of weight in bringing them to a conclu-known as the Bell's Mill road, leading does great honor to the writer. sion of guilt if they so thought, from the Company's quarries to a point After remaining out a short while a serious accident on the Char
Guilty". On the announcement of the south and a serious accident on the Char
Sion of guilt if they so thought, at which the same connects with the free common schools of this School they brought in a verdict of "Not a serious accident on the Char
Guilty". On the announcement of the pany be required to provide safe and large since the opening of the present while you may.

The average attendance of pupils in they so thought, at which the same connects with the free common schools of this School plant. There was a serious accident on the Char
Guilty". On the announcement of the pany be required to provide safe and large since the opening of the present while you may.

lotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad verdict there was slight applause in satisfactory crossings at the points at scholastic year. on Tue-day morning. The through the andience, which was promptly which their tramway crosses the said We present T. L. Gladden for nn-

lawfully carrying off and retaining in The jury having been empanelled in his possession certain tools belonging to the County, to wit, five or six picks and five or six shovels. The witnesses given us, as the parties to prove this charge, are - John M. Gayden, Wilcars, which car was thrown from the & Reynolds, Ragsdale & Ragsdale and ham Yates, Joe Rains and Nelson Boulware. Since making our general statement concerning the Poor House, our attention has been called to the manner in

The next case was that of the State

some further instructions they retired

and in a few minutes returned with a

witness, the Solicitor found that it

consented to a verdict of not guilty.

As it was Saturday, and Monday

hearing appeals from trial justices,

sounding the civil dockets and such

Presentment of the Grand Jury.

To the Honorable J. H. Hudson, Pre-

That they have duly considered the

on behalf of the State, and have pre

sented their findings thereon, accord-

Our examination of the several pub-

lic offices, with the books and papers

short time in which that examination

has been made. We have inspected

the offices of the Clerk of the Court of

Common Pleas, the Judge of Probate.

the Sheriff, the School Commissioner,

the Treasurer, the Auditor and the

County Commissioners, and we find

The County jail is in good condition.

and the prisoners seem to have had all

humane and judicious administration

The committee of our body who in-

spected the Poor House make a satis-

factory report of its condition. The average number of inmates for the

past year was twenty-six. The crop

made on the farm last year was, three

bales of cotton and 200 bushels of corn

-besides 800 pounds of lint cotton

received as rent. Some repairs are

needed on the fireplaces of some of the

mitted their books for the inspection of

the grand jury, and we find the same

properly kept. All fives collected by

these Justices have been duly paid

The public roads, so far as we are

which we now proceed to bring to the

attention of the Court. The road lead-

ing from Donglass's Bridge, across Little River, to the plantation of Wil-

liam Brice, is reported as being in very

bad condition. The portion of the

Winnsboro and Chester read, between

the second and the fourth mile-post,

counting from Winnsboro, is likewise

from Patrick's store to the residence of

S. R. Simontor, is reported as being

in like bad condition. We commend

now able to say, seem to be in fair

have submitted their books.

buildings.

Fairfield, respectfully report:

the services of a jury.

siding Judge:

verdict of not guilty.

which the outside poor are, in some cases at least, provided for. The County Commissioners, or one of that Board, give an order for so much provisions, on a merchant. The orders thus given are, we are informed, met with goods at prices very far above after remaining out a few minutes. the can value of such goods. This is returned a verdict of "Not Guilty". an inju-tice to the County, and a hardhibited at the last State Fair by Mr. State vs. Eliza Hall, charged with are the objects of its charity. We To the Public-J. L. Minnaugh & D. R. Flenniken, and attracted so much arson. Messrs. Ragsdale & Ragsdale suggest that the County Commissioners make some arrangement by which these orders for provisions-if they Teachers' Meeting - John Boyd, sold to Mr. John G. Mobley, of this testimony the Selicitor thought that must be issued-shall be filled at prices

Fresh Garden Seed-McMaster, Brice young progressive farmers and has and consented to a verdiet of "Not market value of the articles purchased. We extend to the presiding Judge and to the Solicitor our acknowledgments for the assistance rendered us in The next taken up was the case of All of which is respectfully sub-

> Foreman. The report was received and the grand jury was discharged from further attendance upon the Court at the The next case called for trial was present term.

J. R. DELLENEY,

TEMS FROM BLYTHE WOOD.

Times are dull, and the people are grumbling about the scarcity of money the merchants especially.

We notice that there are a large lot of cross-ties placed on the railroad at this place. Messrs. Boney & Bro. are having them delivered. They are working between forty and fifty hands. We forgot to say in our last items The last case taken up in the Court been sperding a few days with rela-

Doko is improving. We observed a

wagon, Turnout Seat Baggy, Platform Spring or Farmer's Wagon, with shafts or pole. Single or Double Harness, cheap for eash or bankable paper, from J. O. Boac.

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Capt. Wardlaw and Mr. C. G Hoff-wan have returned from Greenville.

The latter, not satisfied with a stay of two weeks, brought home with him a good case of measles as a memento.

On the pick of the first women, and the senior of the first women, and the senior of the first women, and the senior of the proposed in dustry.

Saturday morning when argument by two weeks, brought

sition from the American Bible Society for something over an hour, when the Samuel Simms, Mr. A. S. Brown was foreman came out and stated that no married to Miss Lizzie Simms, both of tive pattern, and would not, I fancy, lating a new version of the Bible into agreement could be reached. His Fairfield. The ceremony was per-Spanish. Mr. Pratt is well versed in Honor informed them that he could formed by Mr. John Hawley, J. P., of the Spanish language and will doubt- not discharge them in so short a time, Richland county. On the day tollowless ably serve in the position to which and asked thear ocome out and he would ing there was a reception at the home give them any other information as to of the groom. the law which they desired. After More anon.

> ITEMS FROM WHITE OAK. Capt. S. R. Johnst in has been appoin .

The next case taken up was that of ed Notary Public for this section. grand jury of the United States Court at Greenville last week.

appeared for the defense. After hear-At a recent shooting match with of these slippers is done chiefly by Chiparlor rifles, Messrs. J. B. Patrick, nese women. We could not at all man-John Milling and W. M. Patrick I insisted on putting on the sarvengs on would be impossible to convict and proved themselves to be the best marks-

men in the party. Our Agricultural Club celebrated its made under-petticoats, and quite spoilbeing a legal holiday, the juries were first anniversary on the evening of the discharged until Tuesday morning, 11th inst. Mr. J. M. Galloway read when the case of the State vs. Ben the history of the club, and Mr. S. R. Johnston made a brief address, after taken up. The remainder of Saturwhich a most excellent supper was day and all of Monday were spent in served by the ladies present. All of the old officers were re-elected, viz : S. R Johnson, President; T. G. Patrick, Vice-President; J. M. Galloway, facial nerve had been removed it was Secretary. The Club now has twenty-

five members. We recently heard the opinion expressed that, if a trial justice must ex- would await at the top of the stairs his The following is the presentment of plain why it does not rain in Peru, arrival in the morning and would somethen, on the same principle, a lawyer should be able to explain why it does The grand jury, in making their should be able to explain why it does final presentment for the February not rain in the driest and hottest place Term, 1886, of the Court of General in the universe. We do not know gress of an experiment it would sit on Sessions in and for the County of what the connection is between natural law and civil law, but hope that the latter is not fundamentally assoseveral bills of indictment submitted ciated with hot regions.

The young people of this community had a Valentine party at Mr. Vinson's residence on last Friday eveentines "the mirth and fun grew fast tory but when a strange dog arrived he very limited extent, owing to the and furious." But when this wasover and the conversation began to lag, and, "the music arose with its voluntuous familiar biped visitors.-Pall Mall Gathe young men invoked Terpsichore to zette. come and enliven them. She declined but sent her maid-Partner Stealing.

The last "item" of our recent communication was, enphemistically and technically speaking a mendacium joco- Senator Morton was dying in Indianap-PHILO.

ITEMS FROM BLAIR'S. In consequence of the bitter cold weather during the month of January talking of this case with Mr. Hendricks last, the small grain in most places has and he dwelt for some time upon the different kind of deaths. He thought been killed outright. The farmers, however, are busily engaged in sowplored and said he did not believe he ing it in the second time. Such a spell would die in that way; he thought that of weather was never before felt in when the time came he would go quick. 'If I have one wish above all others in this section. The ground was frozen this world,' said he, 'it is that I may be five or six inches deep, and the therspared lingering agony and that I may go suddenly.' He had his wish." mometer stood at five degrees below go suddenly.'

Our roads could be materially improved by a little work.

There is a little girl in this section whose intellect is so keen and her eyes should marry," he continued, "unless are so penetrating that she has been compared to Janus, the two-faced Roman deity, who looked at the past and the future at one glance.

Our highly esteemed friend, Mr. C. G. B. Counts, who for some time has been quite sick with bronchitis, is, we are glad to say, improving rapidly. them in return for the inherited diseases Mr. Jn. D. Blair, our mutual and misfortunes which they bestow upfriend and an enterprising farmer, has bid the red hills of Fairfield a kind adien, and has gone to Newberry to engage in farming.

Our venerable friend, Mr. Wm. Ederington, is engaged in writing a newspaper was taken. pamphlet, to be entited "Reminiscences

The average attendance of pupils in more lifeless every day. Save it and

The farmers have taken advantage of the pleasant weather we have had recently and have begun work with considerable zest.

Maj. Thos. H. Crooks's "enltivator", of which we made mention some time ago, and on which he has obtained a patent, has proved a perfect success. Major Crooks is negotiating with the Yankees, with reference to establishing agencies, for the sale of county rights. He will next endeavor to have mention right here, viz: I did try to it pantented in Canada.

Mr. C. G. B. Counts lost a fine mule a few days ago in rather a singular way. It died in a few minutes, from the effects of being kicked by another mule-a blood-vessel having been

Alexander H. Stephens's United States History, is used with the most satisfactory results in some of the schools in this section. Mr. J. B. Frazier is on the petit jury

for this term of Court. The merchants are crying "hard

The quiet and peaceful slumbers of the opossum have not been disturbed by the Nimrods of this section recently in consequence of the brilliancy of Still, there is no gainsaying it when s

Fashionable Dress in Java.

ral belle must have the patience of Jo! A lady who has been visiting in Java grip of Tantalus and stoicism of Prome writes to the Missouri Republican: As heus. The belle of the rural parts soon as we got to the house our hostess variable in her temper. One minutprovided us with "sarvengkabaya" to she will smother you with her warn put on. This is the native dress of the caresses, and the next she will want : country, and is worn by ladies all through the heat of the day, being brain you with a three legged lactes. tripod. One day she will want to rom: light and cool. It consists of two parts: on the green-sward, and the next da the "sarveng" or skirt is about four she will tie you down to a dose of Long vards wide, in one piece, with one seam. fellow's "Evangeline." In the morning It is drawn tightly around the waist she will feed you on milk and honey and in the evening she will leave you without a wrinkle, and folded over in front in one or two great folds, and tied that Mrs. Ho-A, of Lexington, had on by a sash. There are many kinds of all alone under the wild-grape arbor while she goes riding with the russet-"sarvengs," almost every district havcheeked son of brawn who owns the ading some special way of making and oroining farm by right of legacy. Right namenting them and where a stranger here I might just as well say a would see no difference, a connoisseur words about this scion of a hay-making race who owns the adjoining farm by right of legacy. He is the acme of man perfection in the estimation of the with gold or silver thread, in others a rural belle. When he lays down his On Wednesday night there was a rich pattern traced in wax on fine hand no others need apply. The queen cotton or silk. The process is called of the dairy is not sordid, but she is a woman; next to reigning supreme over her father's farm, from boundary line to boundary line, she looks forward with blissful anticipation to the time when she can reign with undisputed glory over a farm of her own. This is the reason why the russet-cheeked son of brawn, who owns a farm by right of legacy, is so often a stumbling block in the path of the city youth who would a tree of life and its branches. The wooing go with more cheek than ducats "kabaya" or jacket is made on the na-Still there is a charm about having your wings singed a la proverbial moth that find much favor in Paris and New York, is utterly irresistible. That is the reason but it is loose and comfortable and in why so many city youngsters come back keeping with the eastern looking dress. from rural parts with chalky complexion Finally the feet are bare, but to keep and sad eyes. They have been singed. them off the ground slippers are used The greater portion of them commit just for the toes. The slippers are ex-quisite in beauty and finish, and must matrimonial suicide and fasten themselves down to a caramel-devouring raaexcel even those far-famed crystal slipchine in silks and satin, with a pugpers of Cinderella's, which we dreamed dog attachment-simply through pique. about and envied in our childhood. "Oh, yes; there is no mistaking it. They are made of velvet or satin of any The rural belle carries superabundancy color, richly embroidered with beads of female leveliness about her. She aland silver or gold thread in close patso has a great amount of the har dy Mr. R. A. Patrick served on the terns of leaves or birds and finished of knowledge known as tact. She e with high gilt heels, which tap, tap, win a man's heart, and send his pea cheerfully as one walks about these of mind to the four winds quicker the silent Indian houses. The embroidery the most cultured darling of fashi But, love a rural belle, and be loved return, and-well, no matter. H. Keller in Boston Globe. pushing all the fullness to the back, and

in this way making them look like ill-

An Old Rabbit.

Here is a story which beats the old

dog stories hollow. According to M

Laborde, a writer in the Revue Scien-

tifique, a rabbit, one of the ordinary

tame species, was bought for purposes of

experiment at the Physiological Libora-

tory in Paris, and after a portion of the

left to run about the laboratory. It very

soon recovered from the effect of the

operation, and was for four years M.

had the opportunity the rabbit would

jump upon his knee, and it was as fond

of caressing as a cat. During the pro-

the operating table watching the pro-

ceedings with every appearance of inter-

est. Bunny's chief delight, however,

was in a microscopical examination. As

soon as M. Laborde put his eye to the

microscope the rabbit would perch on

his shoulders and endeavor to take a

peep. This wonderful animal lived on

terms of the most intimate friendship

invariably turned him out, and some-

times chased it along the street. Nor

did he show himself very friendly to un-

How Mr. Hendricks Wished to Die.

recollect," said Major Stealey, a person-

al friend of the Vice-President, "when

olis. For three days and three nights

he lay in ind s rabable agony. Standing

under the window of his house we

could hear him from time to time shrick

out. It was almost more than one could

bear to listen. About that time I was

this long suffering was greatly to be de-

In his recent talk to the Yale Kent

Club Prof. Sumner said that no State

should be compelled to educate the

children of its citizens. "And no man

he can afford to support and educate his

possible children. People talk about

the rights of the parent and the duty of

is the cause of his child's existence owes

owed everything by the child. Birth is

a dire misfortune for many children,

and their parents cannot do enough for

on them. One of these duties is educa-

cannot carry this out!

tion, and no man should marry who

A traveler in Mexico writes that he

was recently in a city of 12,000 popula-

tion where not a single copy of a daily

hair is growing thinner, dryer and

Mr. Hendricks died as he wished.

ing the picturesqueness of the dress.

TEACHERS' MEETING. THE Teachers of Fairfield are requested to meet at Mount Zion School on Fri-

day, the 26th inst.

JOHN BOYD, S. C. F. C. Feb20†1x1 NOTICE. CROM this date I will be at Buckhead

every Saturday until further notice. At all other times I will be at Monticello. HAYNE MCMEEKIN,

Monticello, S. C. Feb. 13, 1886. Feb17x3*

FOR SALE.

Laborde's affectionate companion. It | ONE Fifteen-Horse Steam Engine and For sale by

G. H. MCMASTER. Jan19†1xtf

NOTICE FOR FINAL DISCHARGE I WILL apply to the Judge of Probate of Fairfield County on the 17th day of March, 1886, for a final discharge as Administrator of the Estate of E. E. Ford, decrased. C. E. THOMAS, Feb16†1x3 Qualified Executor.

APPLICATION FOR CHARTER. OTICE is hereby given that the under-N signed citizens of Chester and Fair-field Counties will, on or before the 15th day of March next, make application to the Clerk of the Court for Fairfield County for a charter of a certain educational association in said County, of which the undersigned are the Trustees.

J. M. BLAIN, W. F. COLEMAN. W. B. THOMPSON. Blackstock, S. C., Feb. 12, 1886.

TAX NOTICE.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, WINNSBORO, February 15, 1886 N accordance with instructions from the Comptroll r-General, I hereby publish the list of delinquent lands for Fairfield County for the fiscal year commencing lovember 1, 1884; SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 1.

Bounded by lands of Chesley Crosby Moses Stone, Henry Traylor, W. J. Keller SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 8. Nancy McQuatters, 190 acres, 1 building. Bounded by lands of Estate of Jno. T. Johnson, Boyles Bros., Mary McCabe et al.

Esther Jennings, 200 acres, 3 buildings.

Amelia Richbourg, 175 acres, 2 buildings. Bounded by lands of Andrew McClelland. W. J. Price, Estate of Elisha Jones and SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 13. Elizabeth Means, 625 acres, 6 buildings.

Bounded by lands of Estate of T. C. Means, Lucy Holmes, Isaac H. Means and SCHOOL DISTRICT. No. 14. Mary Battiste, 1 lot, 1 building, corner

of College and Garden streets, Winnsboro, K. McDonald, 1 lot, 1 building, town the child everything instead of being Cathcart.

SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 17. Weston C. Bookman, 152 acres, 1 build-Elizabeth Wyrick and H. A. Glenn. Notice is hereby given that the whole of the several parcels, lots and parts of lots of real estate described in the preceding list, or so much thereof as will be neces-sary to pay the taxes, penalties and assessments charged thereon, will be sold by the Treasurer of Fairfield County on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1886, unless such taxes, assessments and penalties be paid before that time; and such sale will be con-

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I. N. WITHERS, Auditor Fairfield County.

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ONE BARREL Pure Old Mountain Apple Bran-. dy, just in. F. W. Habenicht.

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Did von ever see a genuine, ru

belle? As a study, a vastly animal study of the bonhommic unrestraint.

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The romance-grinder delights to cale

of the rural parts.

THE GRAND JURY OF FAIRFIELD Courty, State of South Carolina, for the year 1886, in examining the NEW HOUSE

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RESTAURANT. BAR -AND-

BILLIARD SALOON. found that it is neatly and properly kept, and that the proprietors do all in their

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ing them with the best AND TOBACCO,

and give the LARGEST MEAL and the BIGGEST DRINK for less money than of roasting the supposed-to-be-ensnare upon the gridiron of her unmitigated any House in the County. Therefore, we

recommend the public to patronize them. DAVY JONES, Foreman.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA. COUNTY OF FAIRFIELD.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS. Alexander B. Douglass, Plaintiff, against Alexander Erwin, Defendant.-Sum-mons. For Relief.

TO THE DEFENDANT IN THIS ACTION, ABOVE-NAMED:

YOU ARE HEREBY summoned and required to assume the quired to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for the said County, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscribers at their office, No. 6, Law Range, Winnsboro, South Carolina, within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated 23rd December, 1885. DOUGLASS & McCANTS,

TO THE DEFENDANT ALEXANDER ERWIN: Take notice that the Summons in this action (of which the foregoing is a copy) and the Complaint were filed in the offiof the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Fairfield County, in the State of South Carolina, on the 24th day of December,

DOUGLASS & McCANTS, Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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tine and Baking Powders, Ginger, Spices and Saltpetre. Also, Brown's Iron Bitters. Porous Plasters, Capsine Plasters, Tooth-ache Drops, Corn Killer, Soething Syrup, Lactopeptine, Vasaline, various kinds of Pills, Toilet Soaps, &c., &c. McMASTER, BRICE & KETCHIN.

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Just received 5,000 of the Celethe child, but I tell you that a man who is the cause of his child's existence owes Mrs. Lizzie tevenson and Mrs. Eizabeth rented all Havana Filler at E. W. Habenicht's Saloon.

This Polish is a Pomade and an excellent thing. With it you can, in a few minutes, brighten up any kind of metal —from a tin pot to a fine gold WINNEBORO, S. C., April, 1883. watch.

and be convinced.

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Mr. J. O. Boag-Dear Sir: I bought the first Davis Machine sold by you over five years ago for my wife, who has given it a long and fair trial. I am well pleased with t. It never gives any trouble, and is as good as when first bought.

Winasboro, S. C., April, 1883.

Mr. Boag: You wish to know what I have WINES, LIQUORS, CIGARS to say in regard to the Davis Machine bought of you three years ago. I feel I can tsay too much in its favor. I made about \$80 within five months, at time- ranning it so fast that the needle wou'd get perfectly hot from friction. I feel confident I could not have done the same work with as much ease and so well with any other machine. No ome was lost in adjusting attachments. The lightest running machine I have ever -eadled. Brother James and William's ramilies are as much pleased with their Davis Machines bought of you. I want no better machine. As I said before, I don't

> BLLEN STEVENSON Fairfield county, April, 1883.

Mr. Boag: My machine gives me perfect utisfaction. I find no fault with it. The mtachments are so simple. I wish for no better than the Davis Verical Feed.

MRS. R. MILTING. Fairfie'd counsy, April, 1883.

Mr. Boag: I bought a Davis Vertica feed Sewing Machine from you four year ign. I am delighted with it. It never . " given me any tro ible, and has never be the least out of order. It is as good as when I first bought it. I can cheerfully record nend it. Respectfully,

This is to car ify that I have been using a Pavis Vertical Feed Sewing Machine for aver two years, purchased of Mr. J. O. Boag I haven't found it possessed of any faultall the attachments are so simple. It never refases to work, and is certainly the lightest canning in the market. I consider it a first alass machine.

MINNIE M WILLINGRAM. Oakland, Fairfield county, S. C.

Mr. Boad: I am well pleased in every particular with the Davis Machine bought of you. I think it a first-clas rachine in every respect. You know you sald severe machines of the same make to different members of our families, all of whom, as far as I know, are well pleased with them. Respec.fully,

Mr. M. H. MOBLEY.

This is to certify we have had in coastant ase the Davis Machine bought of you about three years ago. As we take in work, and have made the price of it several times over and don't want any better machine. It. always ready to do any kind of work-we have to do. No puckering or skipping stitches, We can only say we are welt pleased, and

wish no better machine. \pril 25, 1883.

I have no far it to find with my manner and don't want any ster. I have made the price of it several times by taking in sewing. It is always, adv to Jo its work. think it a first-ciam machine. I feel I in't say too much for the Davis Vertical

MES. THOMAS SMITH Fairfield county, April, 1883.

Mr. J. O. Boag-Dear Sir: It gives n. much pleasure to testify to the merits of the Cigarettes, at F. W. Habenicht's. time. I cannot see that it is worn any, and has not cost the one cent for repairs since we have had it. Am well pleased and don't wish

rould not have any other make at any price. The machine has given us unbounded satisfaction. Very respectfully,
Mss. W. K. Tunner and Daughter.
Fairfield county, S. C., Jan. 27, 1882 Having bought a Davis Vertical Feed Sewing Machine from Mr. J. O. Boag some three

years ago, and it having given me perfect satisfaction in every respect as a family machine, both for heavy and light sewing, and never needed the least repair in any way, I can cheerfully recommend it to any one as a first-class machine in every particular, and think it second to none. It is one of the simplest machines made; my children use it with all ease. The attachments are more easily adjusted and it does a greater range of work by means of its Vertical Feed than any other machine I have ever seen or used. Mas. Thomas Owings. Winnsboro, Fairheld county, S. C.

We have had one of the Davis Machine about four years and have always found it ready to do all kinds of work we have have occasion to do. Can't see that the machine is worn any, and works as well as when new Mrs. W. J. Crawford. Jackson Creek, Fairfield county, S. C.

My wife is highly swased with the Dava Machine bought of you. She would not take double what she gave for it. The machine has not been out of order since she had it

The Davis Sewing Machine is simply MRS J. A. GCO WY

c. O. Boac, Esq. Agen:—Dear Sir: Mg rife has been using a Davis Sewing Macking constantly for the past four years, and it has never needed any remains and works inst as well as when first bought. She says it

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Mr. Boad-My wife has been constantly

PEOPLE.

think too much can be said for the Davis

Respectfully.

MES. M. J. KIRKLAND Monticello, April 30, 1883.

Very respectfully,

Fairfield county, April, 1883.

CATHEBINE WYITE and Sister.

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or any better. Yours truly,

ROBERT CHAWFORD. Granite Quarry, near Winnsboro, S. C. We have used the Davis Vertical Feed Sew-

and she can do any kind of work on it.

Vory respectfully,

JAS. F. FERE,

Monticello, Fairfield county, S. C.

Rilgeway . C., Jan. 10, 1883.

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W. E. AIKEN.

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Yours truly. Jas Q. Davis.
Winnsboro, S. C., Jan. 2, 1883.